THE FOUNDATION OF UNCHARTED REALMS & DISTANT UNIVERSES PRESENTS
FURDU
2024
FURBIDDEN PLANET
TOXI DEVYNE
2024

Furry Down Under acknowledges & pays respects to the people of the Yugambeh language region of the Gold Coast, all their descendants both past & present as well as all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples.

Hello everyone,

The Foundation for Uncharted Realms and Distant Universes (F.U.R.D.U) would like to welcome you to to our greatest adventure yet, space!

We're grateful to have the team at Crowne Plaza welcome us back with open arms, and as you've no doubt seen or will very soon see, they've let us absolutely pull out the stops and make our convention spaces look amazing.

This is my first full-scale Furry Down Under event after stepping into the position of Chairperson. I'd like to say a huge thank you to my predecessor Foxy Malone for her 6 years of service to our community and helping to make FurDU such a huge success. Hers are some very big shoes to fill but I hope to do a great job.

Many thanks to the new faces who are joining the 'DU Crew for 2024, and a massive thank you for those of you who are returning once again. We absolutely could not make this experience happen without you.

So, prepare yourselves to explore the final frontier and have a blast for our biggest and best FurDU yet!

~Zephyr

Art by Sertralion (AKA Zolo)
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OUR STARS!

For F.U.R.D.U 2024

TOXI DE VYNE

With over 10 years attending FurDU, "Queen of Green" Toxi De Vyne's talent, dedication, & captivating vintage/pinup style continues to inspire the community!

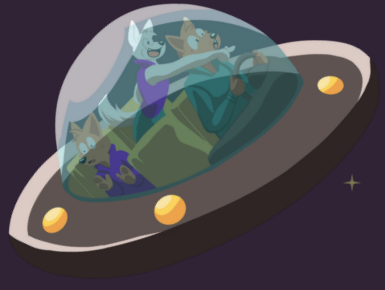
Don't miss her interstellar retro-space themed work scattered around this year's event & her dealer's table in Sifu, where she's offering an amazing array of in-theme badges, artworks, clothing, pins and much more!

Check out more of Toxi at:
https://linktr.ee/toxiart

JIB KODI

AWOO!
Joining us from Canada, renowned animator and snowboarding fox-husky Jib Kodi has been in the fandom since 2017, spreading joy, connecting to people through relatable moments and delivering important messages through his work!

Check him out at
www.youtube.com/@JibKodiAnimation



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OUR BOARD MEMBERS

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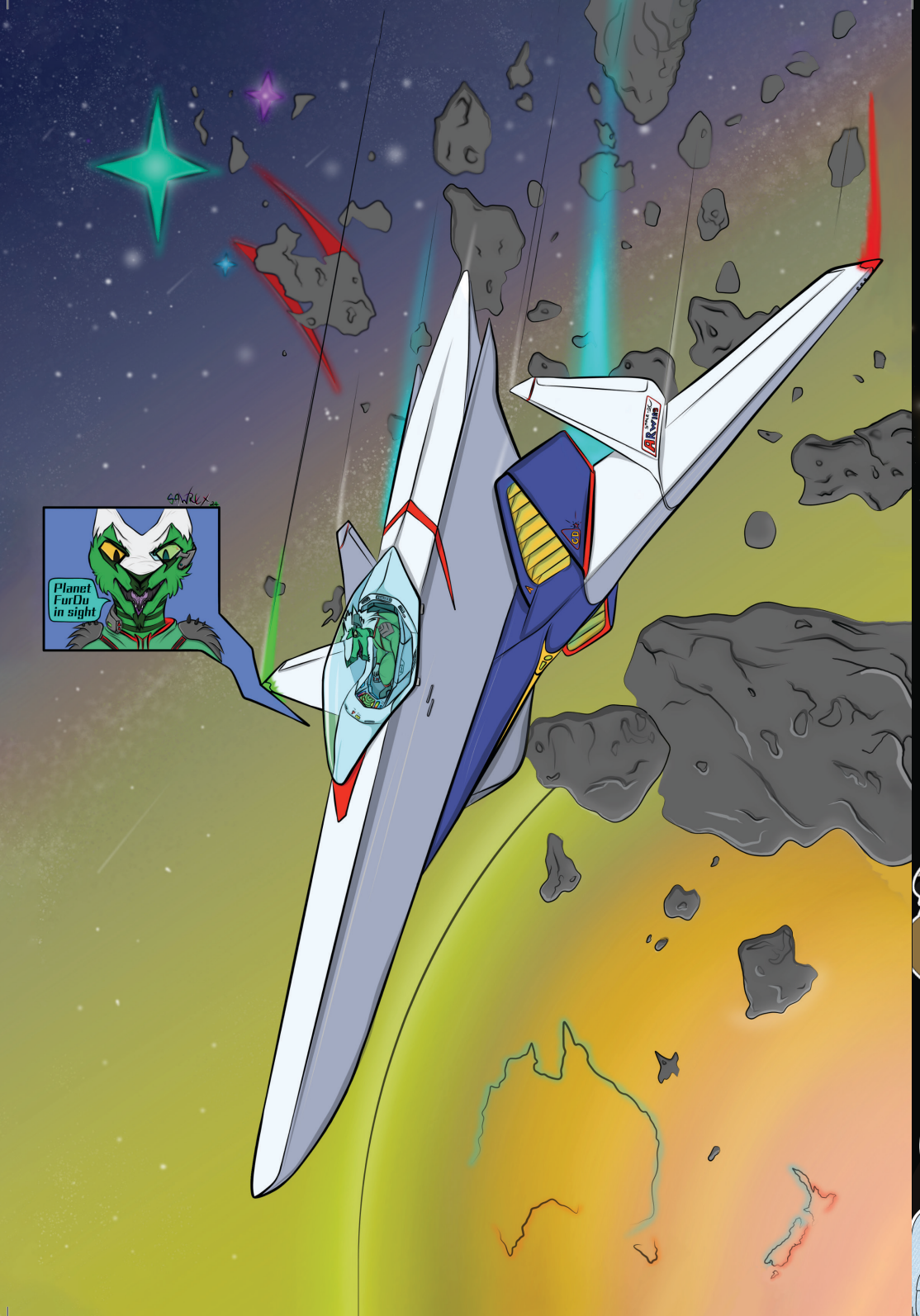
Formal Pegasus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MITCHY
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THANKS TO OUR AMAZING VOLUNTEERS

14 years of furry awesomeness in Australia, and we couldn't have done it without the incredible dedication of our volunteers! You're the heart and soul of DU!

Returning Volunteers:

Ash Darkfire
Halen
ErisDaFoxy
UncleSawRex
Raiu
MJ
Blossom
Corgi King
Tilly
Rapson
TheLastSlice
Sal
JKSessions
Johari
DDD
Dragonov
PandoraGoat
Furrhan
Treble Sketch
WereStritchy
Relay
Flaxwing
Vesper
Hunter
Dexter
Greenver
Cory Kuma
Nortic Fox
Kira

Special Recognition

Cederwyn
Preebitz
XenoSnowFox
Katsu

Welcoming our new faces:

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Larcscis
Maxx
Aurorah
Puffin
Furunder
Skye
Bowen
Aven Pyre
Jones
Mojo
Riyal
Jack
Cha-Cha
Aladras
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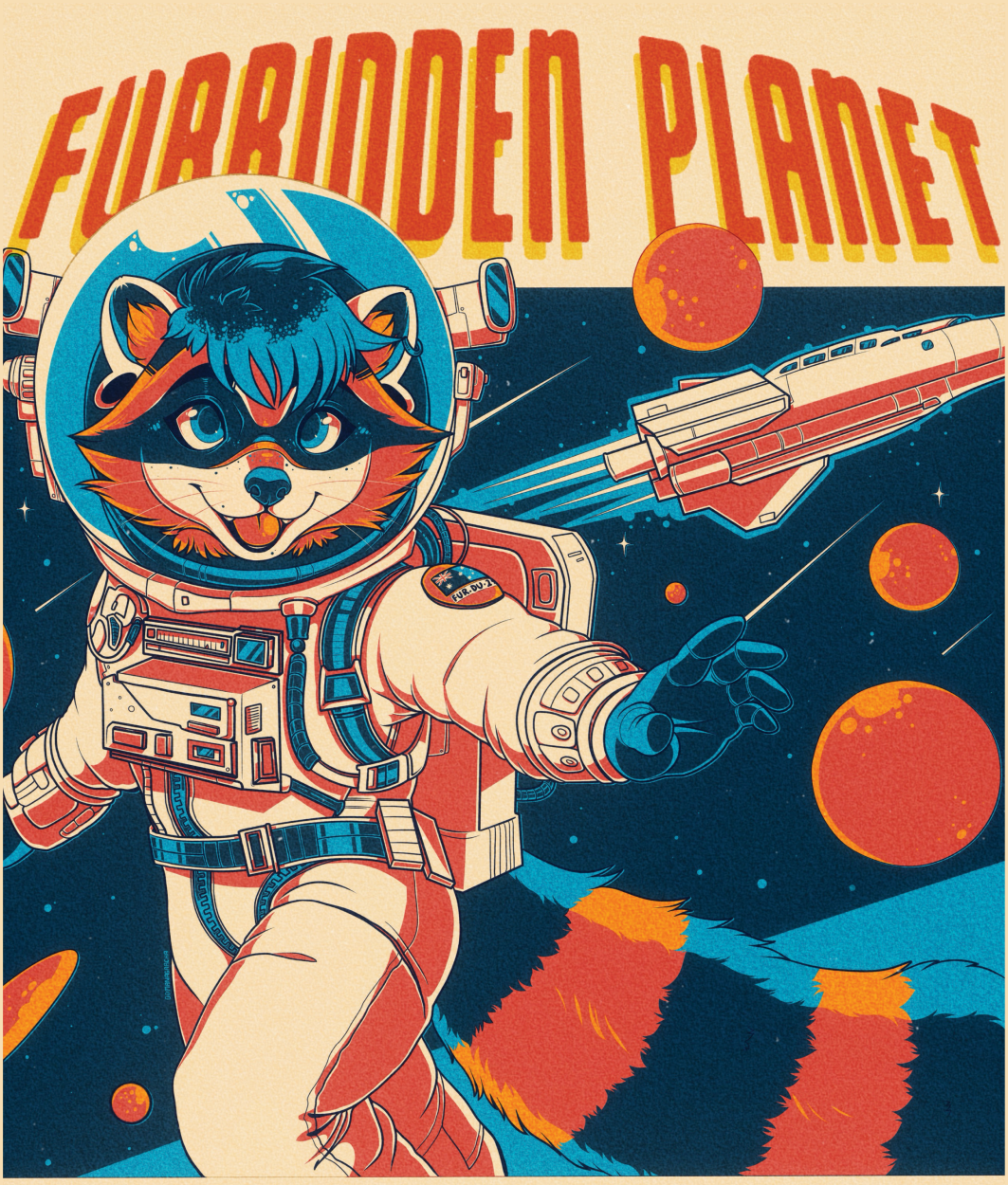
FURBIDDEN PLANET
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WELCOME ABOARD!
FOUNDATION OF UNCHARTED REALMS & DISTANT UNIVERSES
Drawn and designed by Oomanagarcha

HOW TO SURVIVE SPACE 621!

While navigating through the stars in the vast expanse of the cosmic con, it's crucial to ensure your health is as boundless as the universe itself! All space travellers have abided by a simple interstellar principle to avoid the dreaded *"con-crud"*... **621!**

SIX HOURS OF SLEEP!

Just like a star in need of celestial slumber, your body requires rest to maintain its brilliance. While many interstellar adventurers yearn to embrace every moment & avoid the infinite FOMO, remember: Lack of sleep dims your cosmic glow & dampens the intergalactic fun!

TWO MEALS A DAY!

Just as astral bodies require energy to sustain their lustre, we, Star Lords of the universe, must have at least two cosmic feasts a day. Join other adventures upon a hearty feast around Planet Gold Coast & indulge in the exclusive themed drinks provided for all travellers. Residing at Crowne Plaza? Rejoice in two complimentary cosmic breakfasts included with your cosmic quarters.

ONE SHOWER (or more if in Space Suits)!

Hygiene holds tremendous gravity, for none wish to orbit around a Star Lord with embarrassing odours. Embrace the cosmic ritual of cleansing, a refreshing experience akin to a meteor shower, leaving you ready to explore the Furbidden Planet's wonders with newfound radiance!

MAKING FRIENDS AT DU

So you've decided to attend your first DU, but you don't know anyone! Never fear, just blasting off to Planet Gold Coast is a huge step to take on your own. Now you just need to make some friends!

First things first, you know you've got at least one thing in common with everyone here, you're all furries! **Be sure to attend the *My First Furcon*** panel to meet other first-timers just as keen to meet furs like you! The games room is also a great space connect with new & different people through consoles & board games!

If you find yourself off to the side, don't be shy, say hi! Keeping the conversation rolling afterwards is essential, but we know it can be tough! **So try these examples!**

I'm (name) and I'm a (species) what's your name?

Do you have art or photos of your fursona?

What was your first furcon?

Which was your favourite & why?

How long have you been in the fandom?

I love the [detail] on your fursuit!

Who's the maker?

Are you going to any Panels?

Who's your favourite furry artist?

Are there any food places you recommend?

Could I join you there next time?

Be prepared that not everyone will want to be friends, so don't take brush-offs personally!

There are heaps of other amazing people to meet!

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GALACTIC GRUB HUBS

Lost in the vast culinary cosmos? Explore the stellar options below & unveil delights orbiting around!

Use the tram to explore further! Travel North for Best Bite Pizza, Domino's, and more. Or head South for Sushi Train, Double Zero, and Valentinos.

Icon	Name	Type	Price	Hours	(m)
	Relish Grill & Bar	Combination of Seafood Dishes, Italian Cuisine, & Steaks.	$10 - $40	6:30am - 10pm 24/7 Room Service	0
	Horizon Sky Dining	Seafood Buffet	$110-$125	12pm - 2pm 5:30pm to 9:30pm	0
	Shell	Servo Food	$5 - $15	Available 24/7	100
	Shooeys	Sports Bar with Pub Style Meals	$20 - $40	10 - 12am	150
	Noodle box	Pan-Asian Noodle & Rice Dishes	$15 -$40	11am - 11:30pm	210
	O' Bagel	Bagels and Coffee	$10 - $20	7am - 2pm	220
	Chiangmai Thai	Thai curries, satays & salads	$20 - $35	5 - 9pm	400
	Metro Coffee	All day Breakfast, Burgers & Salads	$10 - $25	6am - 2pm	500
	Broadbeach Bowls Club	Pub Meals	$20 - $40	11:30am - 12am	600
	Lola's Broadbeach	Bistro Meals	$10 - $20	6am - 2:30pm	600
	26 & Sunny	Cafe	$20 - $30	6am - 3pm	750
	T'ang Court	Cantonese fine-dining	$80 - $230	5:30pm - 10pm	800

FURDU'S Charity!

As Furries, we love animals, and what better way to support our love and compassion for animals then supporting them through a charity organisation dedicated to rescuing and rehoming animals in need. For the last 3 years we have dedicated our yearly community event to supporting Fresh Start and have donated $14 000 last year alone accounting up to $34 070 in total!.

FreshStart is based in Queensland Australia and operates with a network of foster faamilies and volunteers covering the state's southeast region, relying entirely on community support to cover resources and veterinary expenses to provide adequate care to animals, living in foster care prior to adoption.

Their primary focus is rescuing dogs and cats from overcrowded local and regional pounds and shelters. These animals often face euthanasia due to lack of space/resources, even though they are healthy & adoptable.

Freshstart aims to save lives and prevent unnecessary euthanasia of companion animals and request donations through fundraising events to support their life saving efforts.

DREAMING OF THE STARS

A Story by J.F.R Coates

"There has never been a starat as brave as you, not since the days of Essie."
Twitch beamed at the high praise, his brown-furred muzzle breaking into a giddy grin. His ears flicked back as he blinked several times, clearing the tears that threatened to spring from his eyes, blurring his vision and making it hard to make out any details around him. A great crowd flocked into the open space beneath the dark sky and twinkling stars, starats all. Their bushy tails swung free as they clapped and cheered, with no threat of a human to loom over them.

"It was nothing, really," Twitch said, fending away the adoring attention of the larger starat by his side. Total silence met his words, soft as they were. Everyone leaned towards him, ears tilted forward in rapt attention. "I was just the first starat to pilot his own ship to a new star and set foot on a new world. Anyone here could have done it!"
"But you're the one who went out and did it," the older starat said. His deep black fur dappled in the soft light, which almost seemed to shine through his companion.
Heat warmed Twitch's cheeks. He batted away the starat and turned to look over the crowd of indistinct faces. They resumed their cheering, a few whistling out their adoration to the brave explorer of the stars. He revelled in their attention, uplifting his mind to greater heights than even his ship had explored.

The cheers began to rattle. Twitch blinked a couple more times, ears flicking as he tried to work out where the odd noise came from.
He blinked again. The black-furred starat by his side melted away like the rest of his imagination. Instead of the adulations of an adoring crowd, all he heard was the rattle and hum of an aging air circulator. His confident poise slumped with his shoulders, bedraggled tail drooping. He was not an explorer. He was a slave. A captive of the tyrannical human empire, just like all starats.
"Daydreaming again?"

The voice should not have been unexpected, but Twitch still started. His ears curled down, shame replacing the pride that had filled his imagined self. There really was a larger starat with him, this one with coffee-coloured fur. There was no use lying to David. He always knew the truth.
He grabbed hold of his mop and started to scrub at the filthy floor. "Just the usual one." David smiled. He said nothing. He didn't need to. He simply placed his hand on Twitch's shoulder. Clawed fingertips pressed into the smaller starat's deep blue overalls.
Twitch sighed as he got back to work.

The hum of the air filters still echoed the cheer of his imagined crowd. His eyes drifted from the endless drudgery towards the nearest window. He caught a glimpse of the deep black sky over Ceres. The stars wove their tapestry across the darkness. The shadow of a smile returned to his muzzle. One day, he would find his way up there. He didn't know when. He didn't know how. But someday, for certain, he would explore the stars and the endless freedom of space.

FAUX'S TREASURE HUNT!

Attention all space adventurers! Time to test your mental mettle with the FurDU 2024 treasure hunt! Let the vast knowledge of Deep Thought be with you as this is not for the faint of heart.

A great distance out in the uncharted backwaters of the unfashionable end of the western spiral arm of the Galaxy lies a small unregarded yellow sun. Navigating this at a distance of roughly ninety-two million miles is an utterly insignificant little blue-green planet whose ape-descended life forms are so amazingly primitive that they still think smartwatches are a pretty neat idea.

The smartest, or possibly the craziest, of these life forms, have embarked on a journey to escape that depressive blue ball and venture amongst the constellations. If you are reading this now, you are one of those life forms. Seeing those of you who have made it this far through reading, you are truly the smartest (or craziest) and I am tasking you with a challenge.

Stepping foot on the Furbidden Planet you must seek out the elusive life form I am certain exists. There is a trail of difficult clues that will push you to your limits, but I have faith in you traveler. A single explorer who can navigate the trail and unravel all the clues will be rewarded with the alien life form as their new companion in their journey through the cosmos!

Register for this challenge using your primitive technology to scan the code below. Start your quest now and remember...

DON'T PANIC!

UNVEILING OUR NEW MERCH!

FurDU is 100% staffed by a dedicated team of Volunteers. This year, we've launched Merch as a great new way to raise money for the con. Not only do 100% of proceeds go into supporting community artists and making future experiences biggerer, & betterer, you also get your paws/talons/flippers on some exclusive, sweet, high-quality, and useful GOODIES!

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CONTRIBUTING ARTISTS

Thanks to the amazing community support for our merch, DU was able to empower more local artists this year than ever before & launch some amazing new initiatives (including pins for all our amazing creators, and a bunch of fantastic new rego bags, boxes & goodies). All I can really say is thank you to all the amazing artists we commissioned this year, everyone who submitted their gorgeous work for the 2024 conbook and all the staff who helped make this a reality. You're all incredible & it's been an honour working with you!

-Fluke

FEATURED ARTISTS

- **Toxi De Vyne** - Front Page, Standard & Sponsor Badges, T-Shirt art, Standees
- **Max** - Page 5, 8, 12, Staff Headshots, Super & Ultra Sponsor Headshots
- **Sunset Scorpion** - 2024 Promo Art, Promo Poster
- **Zolo** - Page 3, Artist Alley Banner
- **StuCat** - Conbook Back Page
- **KatsuBirb** - 621 Artwork, Page 11, 17
- **Touji** - Page 4, Lanyards, Travel Cards, Stickerbooks, Standee
- **Emu** - Sponsor Box Art, 2024 Conbag Poster
- **Savaj Bun** - 2024 DJ Poster
- **Videl/TiredSaber** - Page 30, Con Operations Banner
- **Muttasaur** - Dealers Den Banner
- **ErisDaFoxy**- Page 15, Mainstage Banner, Unique Stickerbook Art, Badge Art

CONBOOK SUBMISSIONS

- **Jasper (teal) -** Page 1 & 2
- **UncleSawrex -** Page 8
- **Espcetera -** Page 9, Page 11, Page 17
- **Soggy Demon Dog -** Page 12
- **BlueFoxWhistler -** Page 15
- **Mxxymerlin -** Page 17
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- **Stravaiig -** Page 18
- **Rainthewolff -** Page 30

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FOR YOUR SERVICE SPACE RANGERS!

CONSTELLATION CLASS

Toxi
Jib Kodi
Tk Roberts
Shua
Omega
Thunder-Roo
Phoenix
Longreach
Nero
Dusty
Kian Wolf
Patchezs
G'Landor

SOVEREIGN CLASS

Paraphen
Raccacoonie
Boxer
Rusty
Taubu Lion
Ristin Raccoon
THE Fluke BADger
Larry Lynx
Ace Fawx
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Kaisun
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ErisDaFoxy
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Bluey
Issei
Dracostar
Raul The Fox
Flare Winterwolf
KajiFox
Cushion
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Lycan Fenrir
Foxdale
Olliedawusky
Albert
Vlossy
Sage/Sebastion
Kety Folf
Sundown
Catprog
Watthew
Pheon the Lion
Kaelan
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Sprocket
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Verx
Ayte
Kauri
Axiom
Kairo
Vul Pecula
Neon
Silas
Jingyi
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Leona
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GutBear
Asriel
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BAGEL
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Stor - Bjorn
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